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THURSDAY IS AN OZONE ALERT DAY; RIDE CART FARE FREE

Environmental officials have declared Thursday, July 24, as an Ozone Alert Day. Passengers ride fare-free on Cleveland Area Rapid Transit (CART) on Ozone Alert Days.

All routes, except CART's Sooner Express to Oklahoma City, will be fare free. The Sooner Express is a shared route with EMBARK (formerly METRO Transit) of Oklahoma City. Passengers will ride free on all other CART routes and on CARTaccess, the origin-to-destination service for the elderly and disabled.

Air quality concerns prompted officials to alert the public of increased levels of air pollution in the central Oklahoma region. Automobiles and gasoline-powered engines are one source of these pollutants, so residents are encouraged to reduce air pollution by riding the bus.

For more information on CART and its routes, visit www.rideCART.com or phone 325-2278. Follow CART on Twitter at @CARTNorman, or like CART on Facebook. To follow bus routes in real time, visit www.CARTgps.com.

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